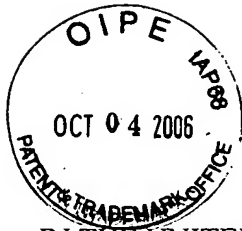


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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests an Extension of Time for three (3) months to respond to the outstanding Official Action dated 4 April 2006. A Continuation-in-Part Patent Application is being filed concurrently with this Request for Extension of Time.

A check in the amount of \$510.00 is hereby enclosed to cover the filing fees associated with this Extension of Time. If there are any further fees necessary in this filing, the Director of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge such to Deposit Account #18-2011.

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